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REQUIREMENTS

A. Transitional Assistance (TA) may be paid to a third party, at the discretion of the local department, for the assistance unit after the termination of the TCA benefits due to non-compliance with work requirements

1. A third party is:
 - An individual (related or non-related) approved by the local department
 - A non-profit organization
 - A for-profit organization
 - A government entity (includes the local department, but not an FIA employee)

Note: The local department may pay an administrative fee to the third party to cover the administrative costs of managing benefits.

2. Payments may be made to the third party up to 3 months:
3. Benefits paid to the third party are used for the family's:
 - Counseling
 - Housing
 - Child care
 - Household supplies and equipment

B. Priority cases for Transitional Assistance include families with:

1. A Protective Services case
2. An Intensive Family Services case
3. Disabled adult or child
4. Language difficulties

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- C. Cash assistance may be resumed if the family complies with the work requirements

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Payees
- Sanctions - Work Requirements